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Honorable Charles C. Marbury
Circuit Court For Prince George's County
Upper Marlboro, Maryland

Dear Judge Marbury:

25X1A9a [redacted] has been summoned as a juror in the Circuit Court for Prince George's County to appear on April 2, 1956.

25X1A9a [redacted] is the principle assistant to the Director of Communications of this Agency, dealing with management problems. With the present sensitive situation in the Middle East and similar potential in other parts of the world, the absence of

25X1A9a [redacted] who is deeply involved with intelligence matters would severly damage the operations of his Office and this Agency.

It is, and will continue to be, the policy of the Agency that employees perform their civic duty in serving as jurors unless critical circumstances such as those present in this case make it mandatory that the Agency request an excuse from such service. This is one of those few cases in which we consider the employee's presence on his regular job so imperative as to justify an excuse from jury service.

25X1A9a In view of the unusual circumstances in this case, it is respectively requested that you consider excusing [redacted] from jury service at this time.

Very truly yours,

/S/
L. K. White
Deputy Director

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